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4108.5 Census 86, Women in Western Australia (\$25.00)

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4104.4 Aboriginal Births and Deaths: Review of Data Quality and Statistical Summary, 1988 (\$9.50)

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